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COMMENCEMENT DATES OF  
CURRENT INTELLIGENCE PRODUCTION

1. CIA Current Publications

- a. The CIA Daily began on 15 February 1946.
- b. The Top Secret CIA Weekly began on 7 June 1946;  
it was reduced to Secret on 21 May 1948.

2. Branch Current Publications

- a. WE initiated the publication of a branch weekly on 4 November 1946. It was followed by NE/A on 2 December 1946, and then by EE. At present all regional branches plus G/IO and G/Tr have branch weeklies.
- b. WE initiated the publication of a branch monthly on 30 September 1948, followed by NE/A and FE/P on 7 January 1949. No other branches or groups publish a monthly at present.
- c. WE also produces a Daily Estimate by country, initiated on 16 January 1948, and a Weekly Estimate, begun on 22 September 1948.

Since several of these branch publications are circula<sup>ed</sup> outside of CIA, they should be considered as part of CIA's production for other agencies.

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